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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 20, 2007, Applicants hereby respond as follows. It is believed that there is no additional fee associated with the filing and consideration of this amendment, however, **should the Commissioner decide that any fee or fee deficiency is due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any and all fees incurred as a result of entering this amendment and response to deposit account number 03-0172.**